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October 10, 2000

KARL J. DREHER DIRECTOR

David Stoecklein PO Box 856 Ketchum, ID 83340

Re: Your Correspondence Dated October 3, 2000

Dear Mr. Stoecklein,

I have reviewed your letter dated October 3, 2000 concerning the Reno-Johnson Lateral and place of use from the Upper Fish Hatchery Canal. Your letter requests that I initiate some type of action to correct the delivery of Dr. Reno's water right from the Upper Fish Hatchery Canal to the Shoupe Ditch.

As stated in my last correspondence to you, the Upper Fish Hatchery Canal is the lawful point of diversion for Dr. Reno's water right, 34-00470A. This matter was litigated between you and Dr. Reno in the Snake River Basin Adjudication (SRBA) District Court. The SRBA Court determined that the Upper Fish Hatchery Canal is the correct and lawful point of diversion. IDWR therefore will take no action to cause the delivery of the Reno right to any other point of diversion. Moreover, IDWR will take no other action at this time concerning the delivery of this right other than that outlined in my letter to Dr. Reno dated September 18, 2000.

Respectfully,

Tim Luke

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